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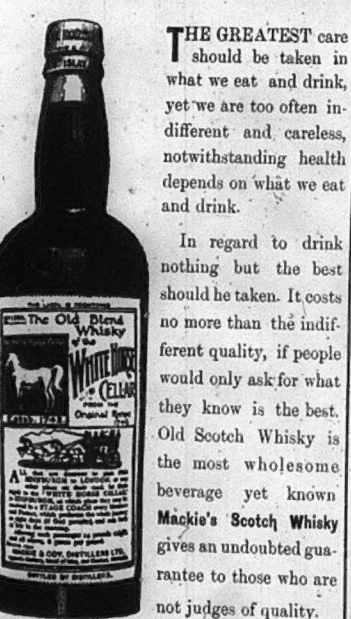
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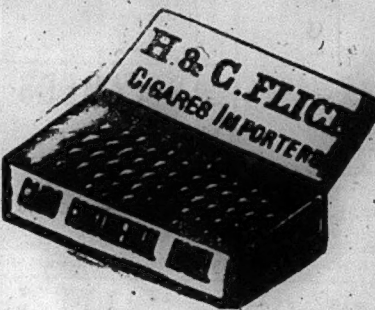
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## AN OLD CYPRUS CITY.

In an interesting and copiously illustrated article on the old fortifications of the town of Nicosia in Cyprus, a writer in the "Builder" says:—  
The beautiful chateaux of France, with their façades in the style of Francis I., wherein the sculptured effigies of Mars and Bellona, or the Knights of the Round Table, once bid defiance to the enemy, are paralleled by the great fortresses of the Venetian Republic, with their gateways guarded by the lion of St. Mark

offering peace to all the world—at least to all the world which submitted to St. Mark's rule. Perhaps if Viollet le Duc had ever visited these great monuments of Venetian enterprise on the shores of the Adriatic, or in the Levantine lands, he would have been able to write a still more stirring architectural romance inspired by such a complete vision of the past as Nauplia or Famagusta.

Within the sphere of British dominion very few ancient fortresses designed to resist artillery exist; in the British Islands there is absolutely nothing important of the kind before the building of the Martello towers to prevent Napoleon's invasion of the Kentish shore. A few block-houses in the West Indies and some fortifications in Canada and India may be of the same period or a little older. In Cyprus, however, by a strange course of political events, the British Government has become possessed of two old Italian fortresses enclosing cities of the first class. Nicosia may be described as an original design of the "Cinquecento" (sixteenth century); Famagusta is of an altogether older and more medieval type.

The fortress of Nicosia is probably the only surviving example of a circular fortification designed on a principle which seems to have been popular at the close of the sixteenth century. The popularity is evidenced by the number of designs of the kind which still exist and by the books written on the system by many other curious old worm-eaten folios of the period.

Giulio Savorgnano, the designer of the fortress of Nicosia, seems to have lived at Pieve d'Asopo, an obscure town in the Venetian territory. In Cyprus Savorgnano found the capital of the island a venerable city of the Middle Ages, surrounded by the usual irregular walls and towers. The space enclosed was probably largely occupied by gardens in the way of many old Italian cities—the crumbling fortifications were, of course, useless for withstanding the approaching Turkish siege. Early in 1567 Savorgnano set about the work of putting the city into a state of defence—it being the unanimous wish of the Cypriotes to constitute Nicosia the chief fortress of the country. As events turned out, it would have been better if they had taken refuge in Famagusta.

The fortification designed in 1567 seems not to have been really completed in time to withstand the siege, although Lorini states that eight months sufficed for the purpose. After the Turks had captured the city they doubtless had many breaches to repair, especially on the south side, and in so doing they appear to have added a stone face to the upper scarp, following the traditional mode of constructing fortresses in Syria and elsewhere in the Levant. The immense masonry scarps of Aleppo or Jerusalem citadels, which date from a little earlier in the sixteenth century, suggest this idea. The Turks had no great desire for fortifications; they were the pioneers of our modern warfare in the open—they never even fortified Constantinople for the use of artillery.

The story of the siege of Nicosia by the Turks in 1570 (July 22, to its capture by assault and general butchery of the unfortunate inhabitants on September 9) has been told by many writers, several of whom were amongst the few survivors carried off as slaves to Constantinople. Nicosia was lost by the incapacity of the commandant, who, amongst other foolish things, allowed the Turks to gain possession, on their first arrival before the city, of the heights which command it from the south, and also to profit by the presence of ruins and the ditch of the former city for their approaches and batteries.



## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

## Coal Imports.

The imports of coal from January, to the 14th inst. amounted £251,350 tons, as compared with 212,222 during the same period last year.

## Crushed to Death.

While a native workman was quarrying stones yesterday at Mex he was crushed to death by a big piece of the rock which fell on him.

## Agricultural School.

Mr. Wells, director general of the Agricultural and Industrial Education Department, has proposed the creation of a new class for gardening in the Agricultural School, Cairo.

## Italian Opera.

The Castellano Italian Opera Company will give the first of a short series of performances at the Alhambra to-morrow afternoon, when *Tosca* will be given. *Gioconda* will be staged in the evening.

## Egyptian University.

The committee of the proposed Egyptian University have addressed an open letter to the Syrians resident in Egypt, in which they ask them to show their generosity by subscribing towards the scheme.

## Proposed Nile Bridge.

M. Zervudachi has asked the Ministry of Public Works for permission to erect, at his own expense, a new bridge, 20 metres in width, across the Nile, beyond the Kasr el Ali, near Cairo, on condition that the Government takes over the inspection of the proposed bridge.

## "Cairo of To-Day."

A fifth edition of Mr. Reynolds-Ball's popular guide to the Egyptian Capital has just been issued by Messrs. Adam and Charles Black, 25, 6d. This eminently practical guide has already an established reputation among visitors to this country and it would be difficult to find a more complete and useful guide to Cairo than this.

## Army Manoeuvres.

The combined manoeuvres of the British and Egyptian armies have come to an end. The dismounted troops from the manoeuvre area arrived at Cairo yesterday, the Blue force reaching Abbassieh at 1.30 p.m. and the Red force Cairo main station at 5.30 p.m. The troops belonging to the Alexandria garrison arrived at Sidi Gaber at 6 p.m.

## Hotel Beau Rivage, Ramleh.

This charming seaside hotel, beautifully situated on the Mediterranean shore, reopened for the summer season yesterday. On account of its great comfort and healthy situation this hotel may be specially recommended to visitors joining their steamers at Alexandria, who should take the opportunity to make a few days' stay here before their departure.

## Charity Ball.

The Germania Masonic Lodge has organised a charity ball, under the patronage of Schiess Pasha, which will take place on Saturday, 23rd inst., at the New Khedivial Hotel. As was done last year, the proceeds of the ball will be devoted to clothing necessitous children of all nationalities. The distribution of clothing will take place on April 14, at the Masonic hall in Sidi-el-Metwalli street.

## Cairo Scientific Society.

A meeting of the above society will be held at the School of Medicine on Thursday, 21st inst., at 4.30 p.m., when an election of officers will be held and the following communications will be given: Description of the "New Telescope at Helwan with examples of the Stellar photographs taken by its means," by Mr. B. P. E. Keeling; Identification of Blood Stains in legal practice: (a) "Tests for Blood in general," (b) "Differentiation of Human blood from that of other animals by the Biological Method, with Demonstration," by Dr. W. Schmidt.

## The German Church in Cairo.

A number of members of the German Protestant community have protested against the erection of the German Evangelical church, and especially the school, at Boulac, on the score that the price paid for the land is too high. They also point out the numerous disadvantages which the site presents, such as the dust nuisance, which would be productive of ophthalmia among the children, and the noise nuisance, which would interfere with divine service in the church. They advise the purchase of a more suitable site before the building is taken in hand.

## Anniversary of Aboukir.

The "Pall Mall Gazette," of last Friday, notices that that day was the anniversary of our first victory, ashore, in the Land of the Pharaohs—that known as Aboukir, or Alexandria, which took place on a Sunday morning, March 8, 1801. The enemy was the army of the French Revolution, led thither by Bonaparte. At the hour of victory Sir Ralph Abercromby, our commander, met his death wound, and was borne aboard the *Foudroyant*, where he died soon afterwards. His remains were taken to Malta, and interred in the Castle of St. Elmo. You may say of the battle, as Heine said of himself, that it was the first of its century, and the date justifies the boast. Yet, strangely enough, it is not mentioned on the colours of any regiment.

## NOTICE.

The afternoon at 6.30 o'clock the new bar and stores of Mr. George Pappas, in Old Boumeret, Alexandria, will be inaugurated.

## AMERICAN MONEY PANIC.

## STOCK QUOTATIONS DEMORALISED.

(Gazette's Special Service.)

LONDON, Friday.  
The result of three days' heavy liquidation in American shares has demoralised quotations. The latest prices continuously show no important rally. The total relief extended to the market by the United States Treasurer equals seventy million dollars.

(Gazette's Special Service.)

New York, Friday.	
Air-Union	92½
Baltimore	108
Canadian Pacific	177½
Chicago Milwaukee	140½
Erie	29½
Illinois Central	150
London & N.Y.	121
New York Central	121
Pennsylvania Shares	62
Reading	58
Union Pacific	79½
Western Union	137½
Steel Common	37½
Prof.	100½

New York, March 15.

Yesterday's sales in stocks represented a fall in values of £100,000,000. (Reuter)

WASHINGTON, March 15.

The Cabinet has ordered the Customs receipts to be deposited in the National Banks. This and the previous order will mean that 71,000,000 dollars will be placed at the disposal of New York Banks with a view to allaying the panic. (Reuter)

## BANQUE DU CAIRE, LIMITED.

We would call the attention of our readers to the prospectus which we publish to-day of the Banque du Caire, of which mention was made in a recent issue of our paper. The subscription list will remain open on Tuesday and Wednesday next, 19th and 20th inst., at the Banque de Salomonie in Alexandria and Cairo, as well as at the offices of Messrs. B. J. Coury & Co., of our city, and Messrs. A. Souraty & Co., of Cairo. The board of directors comprises some of the best known names amongst the Egyptian and Syrian communities, and two-thirds of the entire capital has already been subscribed by the founders, to whom no underwriting commission will be paid in cash. The directors, moreover, receive only a fixed remuneration of £100 per annum each. The ordinary shares will be entitled to a preferential dividend of 5 per cent. and will participate with the Deferred shares in the remaining profits available for distribution to the extent of 60 per cent., the remaining 40 per cent going to the Deferred shares.

The bank has, we understand, already secured some valuable business, and the shares should prove a sound and profitable investment. As already mentioned in a previous issue, the general manager will be Mr. N. de Senn, late assistant manager of the Banque de Salomonie in Cairo, a gentleman who has had considerable banking experience both in Egypt and in India.

## BANK OF EGYPT.

The general manager of the Bank of Egypt, Augusto Luzzatto Pasha, has left for Luxor, where, owing to the development of the Bank's business, he is to-day opening an agency. The representatives who will act for the Bank at Luxor, are Mr. Sadek Gherghes, agent, and Mr. Chaker Boulos, sub-agent.

## BANK OF ATHENS.

The management of the new Khartoum branch of the Bank of Athens has been entrusted to Mr. George Stamatoopolis, of the firm of Stamatoopolis Brothers. Mr. Tsakiris, late of the Banque d'Orient at Alexandria, has been appointed sub-manager, and Mr. C. Zahropoulos, of the Alexandria branch of the Bank of Athens, chief accountant. The Khartoum branch will be under the general management of Mr. John Ioannides, general manager of the Bank of Athens in Egypt and the Sudan.

## CAIRO WATER COMPANY.

The ordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the Cairo Water Company was held yesterday. The report of the directors shows that the receipts for the past year amounted to L.E. 159,220 and the expenses to L.E. 46,682, leaving a profit of L.E. 112,538, which is in excess of the profit for the preceding year by L.E. 5,637. The reserve is unchanged at L.E. 44,135.

## COMPAGNIE FRIGORIFIQUE D'EGYPTE.

The ordinary general meeting of this company was held at Cairo yesterday. The receipts for the past year amounted to L.E. 23,105 and the expenses to L.E. 12,308, leaving a profit of L.E. 10,797, which is L.E. 913 in excess of the preceding year's profits. The Cairo manufactory of this company can turn out 144 tons of ice a day and 175 tons if working at high pressure. The Alexandria manufactory can turn out 44 tons of ice daily.

## EGYPT IN PARLIAMENT.

## MR. ROBERTSON NONPLUSED.

In spite of the vast number of questions that Mr. Robertson has been asking in the House of Commons for the last few months, he is making no headway at all, and the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs refuses to be "drawn" by that gentleman for the benefit of Mustapha Pasha Kamel and the Nationalists. Mr. Robertson's signal lack of success is acknowledged by that gentleman himself in an article which he contributed recently to the "North Mail" of Newcastle. Evidently some of the constituents of the Tyneside Division, which Mr. Robertson represents, have been complaining why he pays so much attention to Egypt and gets absolutely nothing but snubs in return from the official chiefs of his own party in the House of Commons. Mr. Robertson's excuse for this is given in the following passage: "Some answers recently given by Sir Edward Grey in Parliament to questions by members may have set a few readers speculating as to what government in Egypt means. The answers referred to are, commonly, to the effect that the Foreign Secretary has no information on the subject raised, but will endeavour to acquire some. In other cases the right hon. gentleman explains that Lord Cromer has set forth such and such views, and has the matter under consideration. And when the curious onlooker puts two and two together the conclusion which emerges for him is that the government of Egypt is pretty much in the hands of the British Consul-General there; and that the Foreign Office neither exercises control nor desires to. That conclusion is correct."

As evidence of the way this gentleman's impotency is rendered null and void we may cite the following questions and answers, which have not yet been published by us. They were asked on the 26th ult., and in each case it will be observed that Mr. Robertson not only effected no good by his pertinacity but was officially snubbed for his pains.

## THE EGYPTIAN FOREIGN OFFICE.

Mr. Robertson asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether he was aware that a charge of L.E. 1,564 had for many years past appeared in the Egyptian Budget in respect of the Egyptian Ministry of Foreign Affairs; whether he would state the respective items which together made up the above expenditure; whether he could state by what sums the expenditure under the head had been increased during the past few years; and whether, seeing that the foreign affairs of Egypt are, for all practical purposes, conducted and controlled by the British Government, he would direct the British Agent to advise the Egyptian Government to reduce considerably the amount above-mentioned.

Sir E. Grey: I beg to refer the Hon. Member to the published budgets of the Egyptian Government, which will provide him with all the information he desires. I must demur entirely to the statement made in the last sentence of this question. Owing to the international situation in Egypt, the Egyptian Ministry for Foreign Affairs has an exceptionally large number of questions to deal with, and whatever control is exercised by the British Representative in Egypt is of a general character; it does not take the place of the daily administrative work, and the existence of a separate Department of the Egyptian Government is absolutely necessary.

## MINING CONCESSIONS.

Mr. Robertson asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs how many and what mining or prospecting concessions were granted to the late Mr. Knox Brown by the Egyptian and Sudan Governments, or either of them; what were the dates when such concessions were granted, and for what periods; where were they situated, and what areas did each comprise; were any and what companies formed, and at what dates, to work such concessions; what was the share capital of each, and what was the nominal value of a share; to what extent were the shares in each of a company subscribed for; how many of such companies, and which, are at the present time working such concessions; what are the dividends paid by each since their inception; and what are the respective values of their shares.

Sir E. Grey: I have no information on the subject. The concessions date several years back; much of the information desired by the Hon. Member would be very difficult, if not impossible, to obtain; and as the subject appears to be of little public interest I do not consider that I should be justified in putting the Egyptian Government to the trouble and expense of drawing up a report on the matter.

## POWERFUL TUGBOAT FOR SUEZ CANAL.

A new tugboat, named the *Hercule*, has just been launched at South Shields for the Suez Canal Company, which is claimed to have greater towing power than any vessel of the kind afloat. She is a twin-screw vessel 150ft long, her propelling machinery is of 3,000 indicated horse-power, and consists of two sets of triple compound engines. She has a couple of powerful centrifugal salvage pumps and a special steam fire pump, to say nothing of exceptionally strong deck machinery designed in connection with her towage work. Eight years ago a somewhat similar tug, known as the *Titan*, was also built at South Shields for the Canal Company.

## THE KHEDIVIAL OPERA SEASON.

## A RETROSPECT.

(FROM OUR THEATRICAL CORRESPONDENT.)

The grand opera season has ended—amid cloud and storm and internecine war between the director, the chorus, and the orchestra. Without discussing the rights of the case one must say that, on their playing and singing, orchestra and chorus do not deserve much pity, and that M. Poncet deserves still less. Apparently he does not know, in the first place, how to choose performers, or, when he has chosen them, how to treat them; and in consequence the season has been marred in that vital point, the setting and accessories of the performances. The programme itself was interesting and enterprising. We were given several works of real and novel merit—"Messalina," "Hérodiade," "Le Jongleur," "Cendrillon," "La Reine Fiammette," and "Sigurd" (for those who like it!), not to mention the long list, "La Juive," "Guillaume Tell," "L'Africaine," "Samson et Dalila," etc., etc. The only work not given was "Werther."

Of the performers it is harder for me to speak: their qualifications varied so much. Of course, far and away the best were Mlle. Devillo and M. Escalais. Mlle. Devillo's voice is a dream and a perfect delight; the pure fresh timbre, the perfect technique, and yet the intense simplicity and absence of effort, mannerism, or forced tone—all these would make a remarkable combination; but there is some further subtle quality in it which catches and transforms every note and lifts the whole voice out of the category of even the best light soprano: it is memorable, instinct with nature and idealism. M. Escalais has probably seen his best days, but his higher notes have real force and tone and often great sweetness. He has also such a mastery and sense of proportion that every note has its effect: it is the fault of the rest if he appears to drown them occasionally. Mme. Baron and M. Méry are both, doubtless, interesting and attractive as actors. They both have fine voices; but both exaggerate, and mishandle their voices and their music even to the point of exasperation. Mme. Choix Bonheur is, first and foremost, a great artiste, the greatest of all of them, though she made an unpardonable mistake in attempting "Carmen." Her Messalina and Hérodiade should be remembered for a long time. Her Dalila was a masterpiece of interpretation, but—and here is the crucial point—her voice, except in its middle notes, is displeasing. The high notes are forced and constrained, the low notes are wholly masculine: the contrasts in her voice are too marked. M. Fontaine is a good actor. His interpretation of Le Jongleur was unexpectedly attractive; but how any one can praise that throaty strangled voice, whose best notes are trying, its worst notes painful, passes my comprehension. He passes for a demi-caractère, but the two or three occasions when he attempted the fort tenor parts suggest that that is what he should have cultivated. M. Maas is quite sound, not phenomenal in any way, but dignified and with a good full tone. Mlle. Karl sang once or twice very prettily, notably in "La Reine Fiammette," but her voice lacks strength and certainty. And here the programme is illogical. They call her a "Galle-Marie" voice—a "Carmen" voice, that is, yet she never attempted the part. Whether she could have done it or not is another question. M. Sorec sang sometimes charmingly, sometimes very badly. His is a nice, light, high baritone. He can do quite well at times for small parts. M. Durand and Mlle. Charpentier are both "old hands," who have been properly trained. Their voices are not wonderful, but they know how to sing correctly, and how to act as well as may be required.

Of the rest one need not say much—ordinary thin voices of varying accuracy no need comment. M. Gurdin—a beginner, I understand—may do well. M. Chappelon was occasionally good. M. Montoux ought to have been a "fin diseur," not an opera tenor, but somehow one feels that he obtained as much fun out of his appearances on the stage as we did. No one ever took him seriously, least of all he himself! M. Archimbaud is a real musician. His interpretations in themselves—are most delicate, ingenious, and full of knowledge, but he could never manage his unruly and incapable chorus and orchestra. One must remember one great thing in his favour: it is to him that we owe Mlle. Devillo's voice. She went to him, it appears, as a contralto of all things, and he developed her voice to what it is. And on that I conclude; she for voice, Mme. Choix Bonheur for art, and Escalais for mastery, are the three only features of the 1906-7 season. We must hope for better luck and management for this next season. I hear the Alexandria theatre is already signing contracts for 1907-8; why cannot Cairo do likewise—but with discrimination. We could well do without MM. Fontaine, Méry, Montoux, etc., and surely, charming though Mme. Baron may be, there are better sopranos: we omitted M. Moisson. He has not sung often; but his singing and voice were always colourless—correct enough and never objectionable, but wholly devoid of tonal strength, or interest.

## BIG VILLAGE FIRE.

## TWO MEN BURNED TO DEATH.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Damanhour, Saturday.  
A terrible fire broke out yesterday at Behan, where 120 houses were burned down. Two men were burnt to death and six injured seriously.

## RACES AT HELOUAN.

## MARCH SKYE MEETING.

The following are the results of the races held by the Helouan Sporting Club yesterday:

LADIES BRACELET. Value P.T. 1,500, second horse to receive P.T. 300 and third horse P.T. 200 out of the stakes. For Arabs that have never won a race of the value of L.E. 18 or more. Weight for age. Distance 2 miles.

Messrs. Surock and Michaelides' ch. h. Damon, 10.7. Challoner.

Major Gillson's g.a.h. Casino, 10.7. Johnson.

Isah Bey Hussein's g.a.h. Doukheran, 10.5. Stillwell.

Saleh Bey Yaghen's c.a.h. Boule d'Or, 10.7. Ali Selim.

Saad Bey Shehid's g.a.h. Marsook, 10.7. Fenwick.

Capt. Dene's g.a.h. Fantasia, 10.7. Capt. Roberts.

Casino and Damon led at the start and at the third furlong Damon got clear and led up the straight, getting home by a head after a gallant effort by Casino who led Doukheran by a length.

Totalisator paid P.T. 170 on winner and P.T. 21, 27, and 22 for places.

CONSOLATION STAKES. Value P.T. 1,500, second horse to receive P.T. 300 and 3rd P.T. 200 out of stakes. For Arabs that have not won a race of any description since May 1, 1906. Weight for age and inches with penalties. Distance 1 mile.

Messrs. Surock and Michaelides' Ruy Blas, 8.13. Batty.

Isah Bey Hussein's b.a.h. Saïd, 9.7. Stillwell.

Messrs. Surock and Michaelides' g.a.h. Prince Soleil, 9.7. Challoner.

Major Gillson's Clown, 9.7. Johnson.

Mr. Moberly's Velocity, 8.13. Fields.

Ruy Blas led all through, winning by one length. Saïd and Prince Soleil had a great fight for second place and eventually tied.

Totalisator paid P.T. 30 on winner, P.T. 22 and 22 for places.

MAIDEN PONY RACE. Value P.T. 1,500, second horse to receive P.T. 300 and third P.T. 200 out of the stakes. For Arab ponies. Weight for age and inches. Winners of one race value L.E. 20 or more to carry 7 lbs. extra; winners of two races of L.E. 20, 14 lbs. extra, and winners of three or more races of L.E. 20, 21 lbs. extra. Distance 5 furlongs.

Isah Bey Hussein's g.a.p. Nadim, 11.0. Stillwell.

Messrs. Surock and Michaelides' Derry Boy, 10.10. Challoner.

Messrs. Surock and Michaelides' Chilo-sa, 10.3. Batty.

Isah Bey Hussein's b.a.p. Badier, 10.7. Ali.

Not much of a race. Won easily by one length, the same distance between second and third.

Totalisator paid P.T. 145 on winner and P.T. 24 for place.

DONKEY RACE, for ladies and gentlemen. Distance ¼ mile. Entrance P.T. 20. Two prizes, for first lady and first gentleman past the post.

No. 22, Flying Dutchman, Miss Eddy up, won after being nearly caught at the post by Mrs. James's William. An amusing race, with 14 runners.

CAMEL RACE. Owners up. Distance 3 miles. First prize £1, second prize 10s, third prize 5s. Post entries.

Out of 10 runners only one (No. 5) appeared to realize that he was competing in a race and won without undue exertion.

## MENA HOUSE GYMKHANA.

We have so far missed the Gymkhanas which used to be such popular institutions at Mena in past seasons, and that which is advertised for Friday next, 22nd inst., is sure to be well attended. There is always a delightful air of informality about these meetings, which resemble much more those of the smaller Indian stations than the big functions which take place at Ghezireh. Prizes will be given to the winners of each event on Friday and a most enjoyable afternoon is anticipated.

## ALEXANDRIA AMATEUR ATHLETIC CLUB.

The Athletic Sports have been postponed to 5th April, to commence at 1.30 p.m.  
W. FLYTHMAN,  
Hon. Secretary.

## ALEXANDRIA DROWNING ACCIDENT.

At the inquest held yesterday on the body of the late Mr. George Neill, who was drowned in Alexandria harbour, as reported by us yesterday, the jury returned a verdict of "Death from shock through immersion, he having fallen into the water accidentally when in a bad state of health."

It appears that Mr. Neill, who was 51 years of age, had been ailing for some time. While walking on a pontoon he was probably overcome by giddiness and fell into the water. He was still alive when picked up by the coastguards but died shortly afterwards. Deceased leaves a widow and three daughters. His funeral will take place this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

## STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Moss liner *Seti* arrived yesterday afternoon from Liverpool, via Gibraltar, Algiers and Malta, with passengers, mails, and general cargo.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mustapha Pasha Fahmy, who left Cairo three days ago for the Fayoum, proceeded yesterday to Lake Karoun on an excursion. His Excellency will return to the Capital to-morrow.

Lady Wingate and her daughter will leave Cairo for England next week, when the Sirdar, Sir Reginald Wingate, leaves for Khartoum.

Amongst those who have left Cairo for Europe during the last few days are—Major General Baden-Powell, the Hon. Henry Marsham, Mr. and Mrs. Choriton, Canon and Mrs. Knox Little, the Hon. Arthur Brand, and Mrs. Fred. Scotter.

Lady Louisa Magenis, with Lady Winfred and Miss Corry, left yesterday, and Mr. and Lady Muriel Beckwith, with Lady Caroline and Lady Helen Gordon Lennox, took their departure at the same time, having booked their passages by the Canopic.

Lady Lanesborough has left the Savoy for a short trip up river, while Lord Lanesborough is away in the neighbourhood of Suez.

Captain McMurdo, Director of the Slave Trade Repression Department, arrived in Cairo yesterday, on his return from the Sudan, where he had been for the last few months.

It is said that Foad Bey Muzaffer, son of Muzaffer Pasha, Mutassarrif of the Lebanon, will pay a visit to Egypt shortly. Foad Bey is the chief inspector of the Mount Lebanon garrison.

Hafiz Bey Hassan, Sub-Moudir of Sharkieh, will be appointed private secretary to Mr. Macbell, Adviser to the Ministry of the Interior, in the near future. Mohamed Haddady Bey, director of the Public Security Department at Alexandria, will then be promoted to the post of sub-moudir of that moudirieh.

The engagement is announced of Miss Dora Adda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacques V. Adda, to Mr. Henry Blattner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Blattner Bey.

The engagement is also announced of Miss Lucy Nimmo, eldest daughter of the late director of Egyptian State Telegraphs, and niece of Mr. D. J. Hilpern, Divisional Inspector of the Alexandria-Cairo railway line, to M. Jean Bacadin de la Haye.

## PASSENGER LISTS.

## ARRIVALS.

Per S.S. *Seti*, arrived yesterday from Liverpool:—  
Mr. and Mrs. Hey, Miss Anelay, Mr. Richman, Mr. Shental, Messrs. H. and J. Brooks, Mr. White, Mr. Evans, Mr. J. Organ, Lieut. Dimick, Mr. Baron, Mr. Block Gomez, Mr. Bonello, Mr. F.V. Galli, Mrs. H. Cother, and 5 deck passengers.

Per S.S. *Congo* left yesterday for Marseilles:—  
Mme von Nasenbach, Messrs. Pelissier and Duchaffour, Mr. David, Mmes Bord and Olivier, Mr. and Mme Ballet, Mr. and Mme Benée, Mme Tardif, Mr. Lewis, Miss Rudolf, Mr. Dearcon, M. Frilany, Mr. H. Whitton, Mr. and Mme Dowling, Col. Ditte, Mme Marville, Mr. and Mme Fischer, M. and Mme Mizy M. and Mme Montoux, 6 artistes of the Khedivial troupe, Messrs. Hervé and Reillet, Mr. Warren Grossbeck, Mr. Gorce, Mrs. Tchwaël, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Wewancian, Mr. Ades, Mr. and Mme Pappa, Mlle Griger, Mr. Deacon, Mme Fontaine, 12 Miller tourists, Mr. and Mrs. Mallignon, Mrs. Roberts, Mme Ramelet, Mr. and Mme Servanine, Miss Maud Gauthier, Mr. Mellor, Mr. Zanormian, Mr. Ticut, Mr. Butler, Mr. Twomey, Miss Kerr, Mme Tabaran, Mr. Demopoulo, Mr. Houbre, Mr. Tujole, Mme Bogt, R.P. Desbat.

## BULLETIN DE LA BOURSE.

(Aujourd'hui à midi et demie.)

Toute l'attention du marché s'est portée, comme hier, sur les Ritz Hotels qui ont atteint un moment 3 livres pour finir demandées à 2 27/32.

Beaucoup de gros titres subissent une nouvelle dépréciation: la National Bank s'écroule à 27 1/16, la Daira à 15 7/8, l'obligation ancienne Crédit Foncier à 341 3/4, les Nungovich Hotels à 28 1/8 et la Land Bank à 8 5/8.

Par contre, l'Agricole remonte à 9 1/16, la Cassa di Sconto à 231, 228 et 218, la Delta Land à 3 11/16, la Nile Land à 24.

L'Union Foncière se maintient aux environs de 6 livres, prix auquel elle continue à être ramassée.

Plus faible, le Crédit Franco-Egyptien s'écroule à 6 15/16, la Banque d'Orient à 182, l'Alhottment à 3 1/16, les Estates à 2 7/8, le Comptoir à 7 3/8 l'ancienne et 6 5/8 la nouvelle, la Building Lands à 5 9/16.

L'Investment est en bonne tendance à 1 1/2-1 1/16.

Parmi les petites valeurs, l'Ardisi s'avance à 1 1/4 acheteurs, la Salt and Soda reprend à 21, tandis que l'Ordinary Khedivial Mail tombe à 29/6 et l'United à 1 3/32.

L'écart illogique entre l'action et la part de fondateur Land Investment and Building ne fait que s'accroître: l'action tombe à 18/16, pendant que la fondation s'avance à 2 1/2.



# TELEGRAMS.

## THE EGYPTIAN QUESTION.

### SIR E. GREY'S DENIAL.

LONDON, March 15.

In view of the erroneous reports published respecting Sir E. Grey's reply to the deputation of Messrs. Robertson, Rutherford, and other Members of Parliament on the question of Egyptian affairs, Sir E. Grey has officially stated that there is no truth in the report that he made any statement of policy with regard to Egypt. (Reuter)

### FLOODS IN AMERICA.

#### ENORMOUS DAMAGE.

NEW YORK, March 15.

Floods have occurred in West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Pittsburg, and Alleghany. Factories are at a standstill and 100,000 hands are idle. 30,000 are homeless. A number of lives have been lost. The damage is estimated at £2,000,000. (Reuter)

### DUMA ROOF COLLAPSES.

#### SITTINGS ADJOURNED.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 15.

The ceiling of the Duma building collapsed at six o'clock this morning, covering 200 seats with planks and rafters and smashing a costly chandelier. The sittings have been transferred to another hall in the same building. It appears that a heavy ventilating apparatus above caused the collapse. Dilapidated beams are supporting the ceiling.

The Duma assembled in another hall in Taurida Palace. Bad acoustic properties caused an uproarious scene to take place, many complaining that it was impossible to transact business, others asserting that the reactionaries had organised a conspiracy to destroy the ceiling. The sitting eventually adjourned. The Government is considering provision for suitable premises. (Reuter)

ST. PETERSBURG, March 15.

The roof of the Duma has fallen in owing to its decayed condition. The sittings will be resumed on the 20th inst. (Havas)

### THE IENA DISASTER.

#### POUL PLAY THEORY REPUDIATED.

TOULON, March 15.

107 bodies have been recovered from the Iena.

The naval experts repudiate the idea of foul play and attribute the explosion to the so-called B powder which had already proved troublesome. The Minister of Marine, the Director of Naval Artillery, and the inventor of the powder are discussing a means of clearing the fore magazines, fearing further explosions. (Reuter)

PARIS, March 15.

A relief fund for the Iena sufferers has been opened here. M. Fallières has subscribed 20,000 francs and the Ministers 1,000 each. (Reuter)

### M. PETKOFF'S ASSASSINATION

SOFIA, March 15.

Numerous arrests have been made here in connection with the assassination of M. Petkoff. The belief that the deed was the outcome of a political plot is strengthening. (Reuter)

### M. CASIMIR PERIER'S FUNERAL.

PARIS, March 15.

The funeral of the late M. Casimir Perier took place this afternoon and was attended by M. Fallières, the members of the Ministry, and a large distinguished gathering. (Reuter)

### BAKERS' STRIKE IN VIENNA.

VIENNA, March 15.

The bakers have gone on strike for higher wages. (Havas)

## ARMY OF OCCUPATION.

### FORAGE.

Tenders will be received at the Head Quarters Office, Cairo, until 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday 20th March 1907, for the supply of Bran to the Army of Occupation at Cairo, for 12 months from the 1st April 1907. Forms of Tender and all information may be obtained at the above Office on application. Envelopes containing Tenders should be addressed to

The General Officer Commanding, Cairo.

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E.R.O. LUDLOW, Lieut. Colonel, Commanding A.S.C. in Egypt.

Cairo, March 14, 1907. 29794-2-1

### Alexandria Central Buildings Company.

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#### Ordre du Jour :

Rapport du Conseil d'Administration ; Rapport du Censeur ; Approbation des Comptes de l'exercice 1906 ;

Fixation du Dividende ; Renouvellement pour deux années de la moitié du Conseil d'Administration ; Nomination du Censeur pour l'exercice en cours ;

Tout Actionnaire qui voudra assister à l'Assemblée, pourra déposer ses Actions : à l'Anglo Egyptian Bank, Limited ; au Crédit Lyonnais ; à la Banque Impériale Ottomane ; à la Bank of Egypt, Limited ; ou à la National Bank of Egypt. deux jours au moins avant la réunion, soit au plus tard le 30 Courant.

Pour faire partie de l'Assemblée générale il faut être propriétaire de Cinq Actions au moins. (Art. 32 des Statuts).

Le Président de la Société,

FRANCIS ALLEN.

Alexandrie, le 16 Mars 1907. 29800-1

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#### PROSPECTUS.

La Banque a été constituée dans le but d'entreprendre toutes les opérations mentionnées dans le Memorandum d'Association et de faire toutes les affaires de Banque en général. Le développement commercial et financier en Egypte, au Soudan, ayant pris ces dernières années une extension considérable, et le nombre des Sociétés fondées récemment en Egypte demandant un appui financier important, la nécessité d'une nouvelle grande Banque, dont le siège et l'administration se trouveraient au Caire, facilitant de ce fait le mouvement des affaires qui s'accroît continuellement se fait sentir aux administrateurs comme indispensable.

La Banque du Caire Ltd. fondée dans ce but ne peut, dans l'opinion du Conseil d'Administration, rencontrer qu'un grand succès, et occuper sans doute la place qui lui est due.

La Banque du Caire Ltd. a pour objet d'entreprendre en Egypte et à l'Etranger des affaires de Banque, notamment : Escompter des Effets de Commerce, bulletins de gage, et en général toutes sortes d'engagements à échéances fixes ; acheter ou négocier toutes lettres de change, mandats, coupons et certificats ; émettre et accepter tous mandats, traites et lettres de change ; faire des avances sur effets de commerce, actions ou obligations, ou autres valeurs pouvant être données en nantissement ; faire tous emplois de fonds au moyen de reports ; recevoir en dépôt tous titres ou valeurs ; émettre des Lettres de crédits et Billets circulaires ; charger de tous paiements ou recouvrements ; opérer pour compte de tiers achats et ventes de fonds publics, valeurs industrielles et tous titres en général ; fournir ou recevoir de l'argent en comptes courants ; faire toute souscription publique pour la réalisation d'emprunts publics ou de Sociétés.

En fin de compte entreprendre toutes affaires autorisées par les Statuts et l'acte d'association de la Société, susceptibles de lui rapporter des bénéfices.

Dans le memorandum d'association, des pouvoirs ont été compris pour l'achat de la maison A. Souraty & Cie ; aucun contrat n'a encore été passé entre les parties, le Conseil d'Administration se réservant le droit d'user plus tard de ces pouvoirs, prenant l'actif et le passif de la Maison A. Souraty & Cie, (dont le capital s'élève à Lst. 40,000) à sa valeur réelle et en payant le solde s'il en existe en espèces.

ART. 86. — Chaque Administrateur devra être détenteur d'actions ordinaires d'une valeur nominale de Lstg. 2,000.

ART. 87. — Chaque Administrateur recevra une rémunération fixe de Lstg. 100 par an.

ART. 100. Le Conseil d'Administration pourra à son loisir désigner un ou plusieurs membres choisis dans son sein comme Administrateur délégué ou Administrateurs délégués de la Société.

ART. 103. La rémunération à servir à un Administrateur Délégué sera éventuellement déterminée par le Conseil d'Administration. Elle pourra être servie sous la forme de traitement fixe, ou de commission, ou de participation aux bénéfices, ou de toutes ces manières.

réunies. L'administrateur délégué continuera à avoir droit, sauf décision contraire, à la rémunération d'Administrateur.

ART. 112. — Au cas où l'un des Administrateurs serait invité à remplir une mission spéciale ou à entreprendre pour la Société un voyage ou un séjour à l'étranger, la Société devra servir au dit Administrateur, ou s'il s'agit de plusieurs, à ces divers, une indemnité quelconque, sous forme de traitement fixe ou d'une part dans les bénéfices ou autrement. Cette rémunération viendra s'ajouter, ou selon le cas se substituer à la part des Administrateurs subdivisés dans la rémunération allouée aux membres du Conseil d'Administration.

Aucune répartition ne sera faite et ce conformément aux Articles d'Association si le public n'a pas couvert au moins le 25 o/o des actions offertes à la souscription publique. Mais l'émission présente a été garantie entièrement et 99825 actions ordinaires ont été souscrites par le Syndicat de garantie suivant un contrat en date du 21 Février 1907 passé entre la Banque d'une part et le dit Syndicat de l'autre. Ce Syndicat est composé des personnes suivantes : Ibrahim Tabet, J. Coury, Philippe Tabet, A. Souraty, Fuad Saad, B. Asfar, Youssef Bey Ammon, Mohamed Talaat Bey Harb, Morcos Effendi Fahmy, Toubia Bey Camel Toueg, G. Nungovich, Neguib Boulac, Abdel Hamid Bey Abaza, F. Debbas, Joseph Kayal, Soliman Bustany, Hassan pacha Tewfik, Hassan Bey Gangoun, Joseph Chedid, Neguib Zalzal, Neguib Gannage, Tannous Khalil Yammine, Khalil Saa, Maison A. Souraty & Cie. Pour cette souscription et garantie aucune commission ne sera payée en espèces, mais les membres du Syndicat ont le droit de prendre au pair 13500 parts de Fondateur des 14000 qui ont été souscrites dans le Memorandum d'Association par un nommé du Syndicat.

Les Contrats suivants ont été passés par la Banque :  
1° Un contrat daté le 5 Février 1907 entre MM. J. N. Mosseri & fils d'une part et la Banque d'autre part par lequel la Banque prend en location pour une période, de trois ans du 1er Mars 1907 au 28 Février 1910, le rez de chaussée et partie du sous-sol d'un immeuble Mosseri situé rue Boulac N° 6.

2° Un contrat daté le 23 Janvier 1907 entre la Banque d'une part et Norbert de Senn d'autre part engageant ce dernier en qualité de Directeur et fixant ses appointements.

3° Un contrat daté le 21 Février 1907 entre la Banque d'une part et Louis Dufaut d'autre part engageant ce dernier en qualité de Sous-Directeur et fixant ses appointements.

Des copies de ces contrats et du Memorandum et Articles d'Association (dont une copie est imprimée au verso de ce Prospectus et en fait partie) peuvent être vues au Caire au bureau de Maître S. K. Bustany, à Alexandrie chez Messieurs B. J. Coury & Cie, à Damas et à Beyrouth chez Me sieurs Lutticke & Co. durant les heures de bureau et pendant que la liste de souscription est ouverte.

Les frais préliminaires sont évalués à Lst. 3,000 et seront payés par la Banque.

Tous les Administrateurs sont intéressés à la fondation de la Banque comme faisant partie du Syndicat de garantie mentionné ci-haut.

Les administrateurs prennent au pair aux conditions du dit contrat du 21 Février les parts de fondateur dont les nombres suivent leurs noms : Ibrahim Tabet 535, Jean Coury 495, Fuad Saad 575, Abdallah Souraty 1375, Philippe Sabat 535, Youssef Bey Ammon 295, Bichara Asfar 735, Mohamed Talaat Bey Harb 215, Morcos Effendi Fahmy 481, Toubia Bey Camel Toueg 215.

Les demandes d'actions doivent être faites sur les formules ci-jointes et envoyées aux Banquiers de la Société, accompagnées d'une chèque pour le montant du dit pôt.

A défaut de répartition les sommes souscrites seront intégralement remboursées aux souscripteurs et si le nombre d'actions allouées se trouve inférieur à celui demandé, la différence sera appliquée au paiement de la somme due à la répartition et le surplus sera remboursé au souscripteur.

En cas de non paiement à l'échéance des versements ultérieurs sur les actions allouées, les sommes payées antérieurement seront acquises à la Société et les actions seront annulées.

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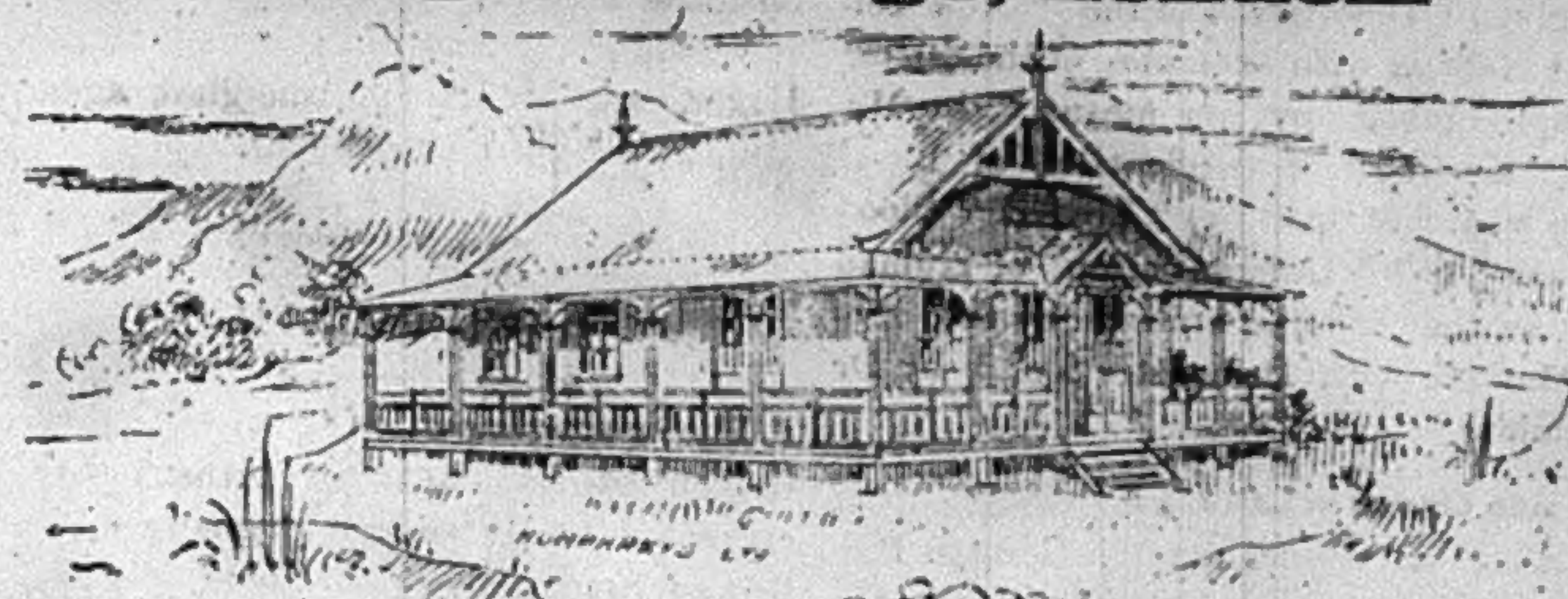
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## REVUE COMMERCIALE.

## Coton

Quelques personnes nous ont reproché d'être sortis, depuis quelque temps, un peu trop souvent du cadre convenant à une revue commerciale pour entrer dans la voie de la polémique, entraînant toujours des questions de personnalité qui finissent par ennuyer le lecteur. Nous sommes les premiers à reconnaître que le reproche est mérité, mais on nous donnera acte de ce que nous n'avons jamais été les provocateurs.

Il est vrai qu'écrivant pour le public, notre premier devoir est de supporter la critique de nos idées; sur ce point, nous nous montrons invariablement large et accommodant, nous prétendons avoir assez de bon sens pour agir de la sorte; aussi, ce ne sont ni les discussions courtoises, ni même les inepties que nous entendons parfois qui nous font sortir de nos gonds, mais bien les insinuations malveillantes et le système de dénigrement adopté à notre égard par certaines personnes, dont la place pourrait être partout ailleurs, sauf à la bourse. Pour supporter des choses pareilles, il faudrait être doué d'un tempérament un peu moins humain que le nôtre.

Si nos revues déplaisent, on n'a qu'à ne pas les lire, mais pour notre part nous n'avons pas de leçons à recevoir sur la façon de les écrire, surtout de la part de gens incapables de les juger. Que nous nous trompions parfois dans nos appréciations, cela est indéniable; nous n'avons jamais prétendu à l'infailibilité et nous sommes convaincus que cela nous arrivera encore plus d'une fois; mais ce qui est incontestable aussi, c'est que dans nos chroniques on ne relève jamais la moindre fausse nouvelle ou la moindre entorse à la vérité dans nos informations.

Nous demandons pardon à nos aimables lecteurs pour cette longue tirade que nous leur servons aujourd'hui avant d'aborder la question du marché, mais notre excuse est celle-ci: Nous acceptons volontiers les conseils des amis et des personnes qui sont à même d'en donner, mais nous ne saurions admettre les idées, qui parfois frisent l'idiotie, de ceux qui, désillusionnés, peut-être dans leurs espérances pour ce qui concerne le marché, croient trouver toute la source du mal dans ce que nous écrivons et déversent leur mauvais humour sur nous. Il y a une limite à tout!

La semaine qui vient de finir a débuté d'une façon peu brillante et la cote du Mars, était tombée à 21 9/16, ce qui a paru quelque peu exagéré, voire au baissiers mêmes. Et de fait cela était bien le cas, et comme preuve on n'a qu'à regarder à la facilité avec laquelle quelques baissiers de la Capitale et d'ici, intervenant à point, ont réussi, vers la clôture, à relever les cours de près de 5/16 de tallari.

Par la suite, la tenue du marché a été variable, avec des fluctuations sensibles, mais dans l'ensemble le ton a paru soutenu. Nous disons paru, car en réalité ce n'est que par leurs propres achats, que les baissiers sont parvenus à maintenir les cours au niveau atteint, qui est de 22 1/8 pour le Mars.

Gagner 1/32 pendant toute une semaine, cela ne peut être compté comme un succès à coup sûr; mais pour être juste il faut bien reconnaître que cette clôture représente en même temps une reprise de 9/16 à 5/8 de tallari du point le plus bas, et cela est bien quelque chose.

La nouvelle récolte avait marché de concert avec l'ancienne, mais aujourd'hui, à la dernière heure, il y a eu pour ainsi dire défection: il y avait des réalisations en Novembre et une meilleure demande pour le Mars et le Mai et c'est pour cette raison que, tandis que les mois rapprochés ont fini au plus haut, la prochaine récolte a montré une certaine tendance pour la faiblesse. En tous cas, c'est à 20 7/8 que le Novembre a clôturé en perte de 5/32 sur la semaine passée, mais en reprise de 3/8 sur le minimum pratiqué ces jours derniers. Comme activité, il n'y a pas lieu de se plaindre et même par moments, il y a peut-être un trop d'affaires; toutefois, tout le mouvement a été spéculatif, le commerce n'ayant presque pas participé dans les affaires pour la consommation.

Le tout donc se réduit cette fois à une lutte entre haussiers et baissiers et si les premiers, parce qu'ils sont débarrassés de certaines positions qui les contraignent, crient sur tous les toits qu'ils sont les maîtres du marché, qu'ils iront de l'avant coûte que coûte jusqu'au point de forcer la main à la filature, leurs adversaires ont en leur faveur, pour le moment, le changement de tableau survenu à Liverpool pour les égyptiens, l'abstention de la filature, la crise financière en Amérique et l'importance de la récolte qui l'emportera des deux camps. La question semble difficile à résoudre; mais, pour ceux qui vont avec la logique, la finale ne fait pas de doute; elle sera pour les baissiers.

En effet, pour ceux qui connaissent le Caire et sa façon d'opérer, avec ses changements à vue d'œil qui se produisent à tout propos, il n'y a rien à prendre au sérieux dans ce qu'il dit. Par contre, du côté des vendeurs, les arguments ont une base plus solide. Si Liverpool continue à être aussi inactif qu'il l'a été pendant la semaine, n'est-ce pas là un appui qui est enlevé à notre marché? Et si la filature persiste à ne pas vouloir nous prendre nos cotons de la vieille récolte, ne doit-on pas prévoir que nous serons malgré tout obligés de réduire nos cours pour le Mai, si nous tenons à ce que notre récolte prenne la voie des pays consommateurs?

Les maisons de New-York ont beau nous éblouir que les crises des valeurs n'affecteront en rien le commerce américain; oui, si cela ne dure pas, mais si la chose se prolonge un peu, nous voudrions bien voir comment on fera pour éviter le contre-coup de la situation financière, d'autant plus que, qu'on le veuille ou non, L'Indes ne doit pas tarder à se ressentir de cette situation de la Bourse de New-York.

Pour ce qui est de la récolte, les 7.000.000 de Cantars sont désormais indiscutables; et

comme après tout cela nous laissons une assez forte quantité à vendre, nous nous permettons de demander aux haussiers si réellement on pourrait écoulé la vieille marchandise sans en réduire les cours. D'ailleurs sur ce point, nous nous sommes déjà assez étendus et il serait inutile de nous y arrêter de nouveau.

Il y a certes, l'imprévu qui pourrait renverser tous les beaux calculs des baissiers, mais qui nous dit qu'il ne pourrait pas aussi les favoriser? En prenant les choses dans leur état actuel, les chances des vendeurs semblent être plus sérieuses, que celles de l'acheteur, insatiable et qui croit volontiers pouvoir imposer sa volonté plus tard, quelles que soient les éventualités. C'est tout simplement de l'exaltation, ou nous n'y comprenons pas un mot.

Un de nos lecteurs a cru devoir appeler notre attention sur la question de l'écart entre américain et égyptien. Ce point a été traité par nous à plus d'une reprise déjà et dès le début de la campagne nous avons dit que pour cette année elle devrait être mise de côté. Notre idée cependant était que nous n'aurions pas dépassé les 6 tallaris et jamais de la vie nous serions attendus aux exagérations qui ont eu lieu par la suite. Il y a eu, il est vrai, plus de gravité qu'on ne le pensait tout d'abord dans la question du manque de bon coton américain; aussi, l'année a-t-elle été tout à fait exceptionnelle; mais, en réalité, avec les énormes quantités qui étaient vendues à livrer, il n'y a eu qu'une partie de consommation qui a été affectée par les gros écarts qui se sont établis par la suite. Le fait est anormal certainement et ne pourra se perpétuer, mais pour qu'il disparaisse il faut que nous ayons une bonne récolte américaine sous le rapport de la qualité. Il est trop tôt pour cela, mais cela n'empêche qu'on ferait bien de se montrer circonspect, car à ce point de vue le risque est grand et si les boys cotons venaient à abonder l'année prochaine, nous pourrions bien voir des choses bien extraordinaires, mais cette fois ce serait dans le sens opposé à celui que nous avons eu cette année.

La position de l'Américain semble clocher, mais en fin de compte, la crise financière à la Bourse des Valeurs et le manque de spéculation en Amérique, sont deux motifs suffisants pour justifier l'hésitation et le calme actuels.

Nous n'avons pas encore le Cens Bureau mais la National Ginners Association nous a donné son chiffre de l'égrenage qui est de 12.700.000 Balles. Price dit que cela représente 13.000.000 Balles, sans rien préciser au sujet de ses calculs, ce qui est toujours prudent et ménage une porte de sortie pour le jour où il aura liquidé sa position à la hausse. Le public ne semble pas être de cet avis et la faiblesse du marché le prouve.

Notre marché du disponible a été peu actif, mais le marché du choix, en dehors du manque de demande du dehors, y est pour quelque chose. En tous cas, pour ce qui est de prix, la baisse sur le spot n'a pas été égale à celle des contrats et au moment de l'établissement de la cote, les différences en moins sur la semaine précédente étaient comme suit: 3/8 sur les Mit Afifi et 1/4 sur les provenances Haute-Egypte. Les Abassi et les Ioannorich par contre, sont en hausse de 1/8 à 5/8 pour cause de rareté.

Les exportations, comprenant 1600 balles par Port Said, ont dépassé les prévisions, leur total étant de 18.450 balles, contre 14.000 l'année dernière. On persiste à dire que la semaine prochaine sera petite, mais nous sommes déjà payés pour savoir à quoi nous en tenir sur ces renseignements. Nous préférons attendre jusqu'à Mardi pour faire nos propres pronostics.

Comme mouvement de la récolte, les choses se dessinent de plus en plus clairement pour les 7.000.000 de Cantars. En attendant, pour ce qui est du stock, nous sommes en diminution par cette semaine et le surplus sur l'année dernière est tombé à 275.000 Cantars.

Liverpool a été peu actif pour les égyptiens disponibles, dont la moyenne des ventes a été 200 balles par jour.

Quant aux prix les changements relevés consistent en 1/4 de baisse sur le spot, qui est à 11 3/8 et en 4/64 seulement pour les futurs qui clôturent à 11 14/64 pour le Mars.

Les Américains, par contre, ont été si fissalement actifs, mais sous le rapport des prix, il n'y a pas de quoi jubiler. Le spot a perdu 21 points à la cote de 6.03 et les futurs respectivement 15 et 11 points pour le Mars-Avril cote à 5.72 et pour le juillet-Août à 5.71.

Demain nous aurons la troisième filière du mois; elle sera probablement insignifiante.

La deuxième filière de Mars n'a été que d'une vingtaine de mille Cantars et sans les quelques ventes en première filière, elle serait restée sans effet sur le marché.

**Graines de Coton**  
Arrivages inférieurs aux besoins de l'exportation et, comme conséquence, fermetés dans le prix du spot qui finit à 75 1/2. Tel est en peu de mots, le résumé de la semaine.

Les contrats, par leur part, avaient sensiblement fléchi, mais n'ont pas tardé à reprendre; toutefois les affaires restent insignifiantes et la clôture pour l'Avril a eu lieu à P.T. 76 3/4.

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La nouvelle récolte n'a donné lieu qu'à des affaires de peu d'importance, faute d'acheteurs sérieux; aussi, la cote est-elle tombée à P.T. 67 2/4 avec tendance faible.

L'Angleterre ne parle pas des 3 mois Novembre-Janvier.

## CHRONIQUE FINANCIERE

Alexandrie, le 15 mars.

Une panique imprévue qui s'est produite en Amérique et qui a eu son contre-coup à Londres a renversé toutes les prévisions de reprise et nous a valu une nouvelle dépression générale de la cote. Le taux privé d'escompte s'est aussitôt élevé en Angleterre à 5 1/8, pendant que le Consolidé fléchissait à 85. Hier cependant on s'est ressaisi tant à Londres qu'à New-York où tout tend à rentrer de nouveau dans l'ordre: le taux d'escompte est revenu à

5 0/0 et le Consolidé a regagné 1/4 à 85 1/4, soit, comme compensation, une hausse de 1/8 sur le taux privé d'escompte, et une baisse d'une livre sur le Consolidé. Quant à la rente française, c'est un nouveau recul de 25 centimes que nous avons enregistré.

Avec un tel marché mondial, il n'est pas étonnant que les valeurs égyptiennes aient encore perdu du terrain, en présence surtout d'une avalanche d'ordres de vente provenant de l'Egypte même, de qui, à la crainte de complications financières en Amérique, venait ajouter l'incertitude concernant les affaires égyptiennes. L'Union a réagi de 1/2 livre, la Delta de 3/4, la National Bank de 1/2 et la Delta Light de 1/4. A la Bourse de Paris, la tenue n'a pas été meilleure: le Crédit Foncier égyptien a reculé de 4 fr. à 740, le Land Bank of Egypt de 9 fr. à 217 et la Banque d'Athènes de 6 fr. à 132 ex-coupon.

Qu'y a-t-il de surprenant, dans de telles conditions, si notre bourse, déjà déprimée par les liquidations de fin février et les écarts de la spéculation, s'est abandonnée au découragement le plus complet. L'afflux incessant d'ordres de vente en face d'une absence non moins continue d'ordres d'achat, telle a été l'aspect de toute la semaine jusqu'à aujourd'hui où, après une débâcle générale, on s'est rallié autour de quelques titres qu'on a poussés avec une vigueur voisine de la frénésie.

Comment appeler d'un autre nom le mouvement qui a été effectué ce matin sur les Ritz Hotels? Après avoir été relativement négligés durant la semaine à 115 1/6, ils ont atteint 2 1/2 acheteurs, au milieu des trépignements de joie des courtiers en délire. On agitait des chapeaux, on battait des mains, enfin c'était une scène indescriptible.

Les Ritz n'ont pas été seuls d'ailleurs à bénéficier d'une reprise. Les Estates, la Building Land, le Comptoir, et la Delta Land ont largement profité de ce revirement, sans d'ailleurs regagner toutes les pertes des premiers jours. Les Estates, après être tombés un moment à 2 livres, ont repris à 2 1/4; la Building, qui avait fléchi jusqu'à 5 7/16, est remontée à 5 5/8; l'ancienne Comptoir a regagné le terrain perdu, mais la nouvelle est restée en arrière de 3/16; quant à la Delta Land, bien qu'elle soit en meilleure tendance à 3 5/8, elle n'en perd pas moins 5/16 sur les ventes incessantes, dit-on, d'un gros spéculateur.

Au milieu du désarroi des premiers jours et simultanément avec la baisse de toute la cote, il n'était pas sans intérêt de voir le mouvement créé sur les Land Investment & Building dont le fondateur a touché un moment 6 livres, pour revenir à 3 3/4 et clôturer à 4 1/4. Pendant ce temps l'action végétait à 18/16-7/8. Il nous semble pourtant que si le prix de la fondation n'est pas l'actif, l'action doit valoir plus que le pair, puisque la fondation ne pourra toucher un dividende qu'après l'action.

Les pertes les plus remarquables, autres que celles déjà signalées, sont: 5/16 sur la National Bank à 27 3/8, 1/4 sur l'Alexandria Water à 13 1/4, 7/8 sur les Jouissances Eau du Caire à 27 1/2 sur la Behéra à 39 1/2, 6/8 sur les dividendes Bière du Caire à 56, et 3/8 sur la fondation Comptoir à 8 1/8.

La dernière émission de la Casa di Sconto s'inscrit à 215. L'ancienne cote 229 et la nouvelle 226, ex droit de souscription; soit en baisse respective de 42 francs.

Un coupon additionnel de 4 fr. 50 ayant été payé ces jours-ci par la Banque d'Athènes, le cours est revenu à 130 fr. ex coupon.

L'Investment (Abdy), dont le coupon est de 1 shilling par titre, le cours a fléchi jusqu'à 1 1/32 ex-coupon. C'est un prix qu'on n'avait pas encore vu depuis la fondation de la société, et cela en dépit d'un exercice en somme très favorable.

Outre les Ritz qui ont avancé de 9/16 en une seule séance, il faut signaler encore une hausse de 4 fr. sur l'Obligation Ancienne Crédit Foncier et de 50 centimes sur la nouvelle aux cours respectifs de 344 et 272. L'Upper Egypt and Delta Navigation regagne à 5 l'avance qu'elle avait perdue. La Privilegiée Bière d'Alexandrie gagne 2 fr. à 226.

L'Agricole perd 3/32 à 9, la Delta Light 1/8 à 11, la Kamleh Railway 1/16 à 6, les Privilegiées Tramways d'Alexandrie 1 fr. à 182, la Daira 1/8 à 16, la Dividende Bière d'Alexandrie 3 fr. à 120, les Nungovich et la Nile Land 1/8 à 28 5/8 et 23 3/8, le Crédit Franco égyptien 1/16 à 6, la Land Bank 1/8 à 6 11/16.

Les petites valeurs ne sont pas mieux partagées: la Filature tombe à 9/16, vendeurs, les Cotton Mills à 5/6, l'Aboukir à 4 1/4, l'Allotment à 3 1/8, la Port Said Salt à 14, les Cotton Ginners à 17/8 et les Egyptian Constructors à 1 1/8.

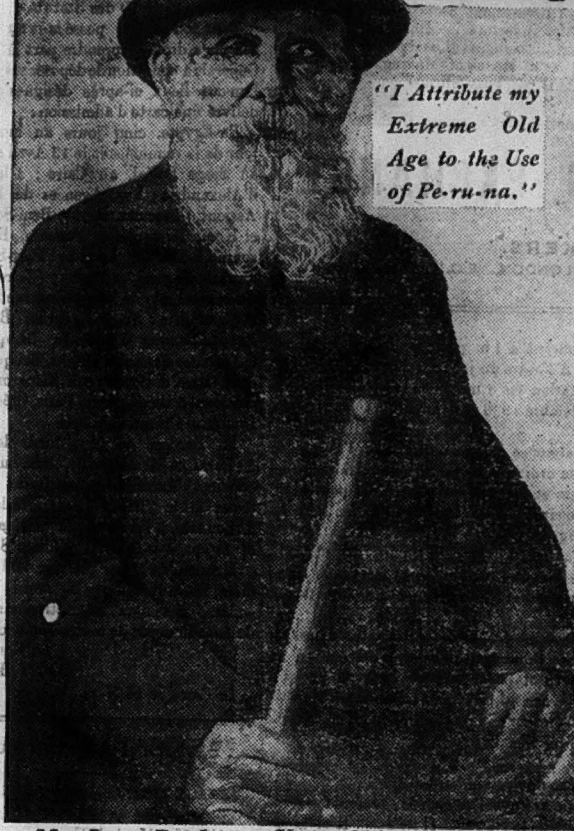
Le reste de la cote demeure sans changement.

On escomptait pour l'Union Foncière un dividende de 5 % par an, soit de 7 1/2 % pour les dix-huit mois écoulés depuis la création de la société. Une note que nous avons publiée hier a dit ce chiffre à 4 1/2 %; mais comme, d'après les statuts, un dividende cumulatif de 5 % revient de droit aux actionnaires, ceux-ci ne perdent rien pour attendre.

Au milieu du désarroi actuel, il est bien difficile, pour ne pas dire impossible, de faire des pronostics sur l'avenir probable du marché. Un fait que nul ne conteste, c'est la prospérité exceptionnelle en ce moment-ci des Etats-Unis, de l'Angleterre et de l'Egypte. On était donc en droit, après une dépression comme celle qui s'était produite ces temps derniers, de s'attendre à ne pas se tromper. Malheureusement les metteurs, un peu partout, ont beaucoup trop compté sur cette prospérité et ont érasé le marché sous une avalanche de titres nouveaux qui prendront assurément un temps plus ou moins long pour se classer. Le mieux dans ces périodes troubles est de se rejeter sur les titres qui offrent les meilleures garanties de stabilité en raison soit de leur prime peu élevée soit de leur valeur intrinsèque. De cette façon on se prémunit contre des pertes sensibles, tout en conservant les chances d'un mouvement imprévu à la hausse.

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## NATIONAL BANK OF EGYPT.

## AVIS

Messieurs les Actionnaires de la National Bank of Egypt sont convoqués en Assemblée Générale Ordinaire pour le samedi 23 mars 1907 à 3.30 de l'après-midi, au siège social, au Caire.

## ORDRE DU JOUR

Rapport du Conseil d'Administration.  
Rapport des Censeurs.  
Approbation des comptes de l'exercice clos le 31 décembre 1906.  
Fixation du dividende.  
Renouvellement partiel du Conseil d'Administration.  
Election des censeurs pour l'exercice 1907.  
Fixation de l'indemnité des Censeurs.

Tout actionnaire possédant au moins vingt actions a droit de prendre part à l'Assemblée Générale à condition de déposer ses actions dans l'un des lieux ci-après désignés : où il lui sera délivré une carte d'admission :

En Egypte, cinq jours au moins avant le jour de la réunion, soit le 16 mars au plus tard : au siège social, au Caire ; à la succursale d'Alexandrie ; aux Agences de la Banque à Assiout, Assouan, Benha, Beni Suef, Choubi el Khem, Damanhour, Fayoum, Keneh, Menoufia, Minieh, Louxor, Port Said, Suez, Tantah, Zagazig et Mouky (Caire) et dans les établissements de banque suivants du Caire et d'Alexandrie : Anglo-Egyptian Bank, Bank of Egypt, Banque d'Arabie, Banque Impériale Ottomane, Banque d'Orient, Banque de Salonique, Caisse de Soutien et de Réserve, Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, Crédit Lyonnais, Deutsche Orientbank A. G.

En Europe, au plus tard le 14 mars : à Paris et à Marseille aux bureaux de la "Société Marseillaise" ; en Italie dans les Bureaux des "Banca Commerciale Italiana" ; à Londres à l'Agence de la National Bank of Egypt, 4 & 5 King William Street.

Le Caire, le 20 Février 1907.

Le Gouverneur,  
P. T. ROWLAT.

29607-10-9

The Estate of the late Harry Hutchinson Williamson, Assouan.

ALL CLAIMS against the Estate of the above deceased should be lodged on or before 25th current, with Alexander Urquhart, Assouan, to whom all payments due should be paid within same period.

## The Egypt and Levant Steamship COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the First Ordinary General Meeting of the Egypt and Levant Steamship Company, Limited, will be held at the offices of Messrs. Carver Brothers and Co., Ltd., Rue de l'Ancienne Bourse, Alexandria, on Monday the 25th day of March 1907 at 4 p.m., for the transaction of the following business :—

1. To receive and consider the adoption of the Directors' Report and Accounts for the period ending 31st January 1907.
2. To elect a Director.
3. To elect Auditors.
4. To declare a Dividend.
5. General business.

Members of Share Warrants desiring to vote at the above-mentioned meeting must, on or before the 20th day of March 1907, deposit such Share Warrants with their Bankers, obtaining a receipt for same for admission to meeting.

Dated the 14th day of March 1907.

By Order of the Board,

L. DES CLAYES,  
Local Secretary.

## The Egypt and Levant Steamship COMPANY LIMITED.

La première assemblée générale ordinaire de l'Egypt and Levant Steamship Company, Limited, aura lieu à six bureaux de M. M. Carver Brothers & Co., Ltd., rue de l'Ancienne Bourse, à Alexandrie, le 25 Mars 1907 à 4 h. p.m., avec l'ordre du jour suivant :—

1. Examen et approbation du rapport du Conseil d'Administration et du bilan pour l'exercice finissant le 31 janvier 1907.
2. Election d'un administrateur.
3. Election des censeurs.
4. Fixation du dividende.
5. Affaires diverses.

Les porteurs de certificats d'actions qui désirent voter à la présente assemblée doivent se 22 mars 1907 au plus tard, déposer les certificats chez leurs banquiers, où ils obtiendront en échange des récépissés les autorisant à prendre part à l'assemblée.

Le 14 mars 1907.

Par ordre du Conseil d'Administration  
L. DES CLAYES,  
Secrétaire Local.

29795-6-2

## The Anglo-Egyptian Land Allotment Co.

## AVIS

MM. les Actionnaires sont convoqués en Assemblée Générale Ordinaire pour le samedi 30 Mars 1907 à 4 h. de l'après-midi, au Siège de la Société, Chancery Chambers, Caire.

Ordre du jour :  
Rapport du Conseil d'Administration.  
Rapport des Censeurs.  
Approbation des comptes de l'exercice clos le 31 décembre 1906.

Nomination des Censeurs pour l'exercice 1907.

Fixation de l'indemnité des Censeurs.

Tout actionnaire possédant au moins 5 actions a droit de prendre part à cette Assemblée à condition de déposer ses Actions 5 jours au moins avant le jour de la réunion, soit le 25 Mars 1907 au plus tard, dans l'une des Banques ci-après désignées :

A la National Bank of Egypt, le Caire et Alexandrie.

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Le 14 Mars 1907.

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## Municipalité d'Alexandrie

## AVIS

Le lundi 18 mars 1907 de 10 h. du matin à midi la Municipalité procédera à la vente aux enchères publiques de tous les N° 20 de Kom el Chougala el Barrani d'une quantité de 1.000 mètres cubes environ de pierres (Kantaria) en blocs et décharges provenant de la démolition du dit fort.

Ces pierres sont divisées en lots de 20 à 100 M<sup>3</sup>.

Les acheteurs devront payer le droit d'enregistrement de 1 % et déposer le 10 % de la valeur de la marchandise achetée au moment de la vente et effectuer le paiement intégral à la Caisse Municipale le lendemain du jour de l'enchère.

Ils auront à supporter les droits de carrière au profit de la ville et devront enlever les pierres achetées dans un délai de dix jours sous peine de folle enchère pour compensation de l'indemnité et de perte du dépôt de 10 %.

Alexandrie, le 12 Mars 1907.

L'Administrateur.

29768-2-3 (Signé) W. P. CHATAWAY.

## Administration des Chemins de Fer de l'Etat Egyptien

## AVIS

L'Administration des Chemins de fer et Télégraphes de l'Etat a l'honneur de porter à la connaissance du public qu'à partir du 15 courant, un bureau télégraphique sera ouvert à Banawan, gare du réseau du Chemin de fer de Delta pour la transmission des télégrammes en langues européennes et arabes.

Le Caire, le 12 Mars 1907. 29767-2-1

## AVIS

L'Administration des Chemins de fer et des Télégraphes de l'Etat a l'honneur de porter à la connaissance du public que le bureau télégraphique de M. E. Alai sera fermé à partir du 15 Mars courant.

Le Caire, le 12 Mars 1907. 2977-2-2

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### COTON

Arrivages	EXPORTATIONS				STOCK			
	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	Y. Y.	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	Y. Y.
Cette semaine	57,272	9,732	70,210	6,143	65,802	2,975	52,908	18,45
Même semaine 1906	129,512	7,400	58,333	5,403	40,563	1,315	1,048	14,08
Depuis 1er Sept. 1906	6,670,580	344,106	2,60,142	261,073	1,914,47	19,214	686,94	694,32
Même époque 1906	5,645,147	2,242,19	2,375,03	231,945	1,711,100	61,915	476,742	609,19

Y compris stock au 1er Septembre 1906 Contans 220,470  
N.B.—Dans les arrivages et les exportations de cette semaine, sont compris Contans 27,712 arrivés et partis de Port-Said au Balas 1,394 pour l'Algérie et Balas 100 pour le Continent.

### GRAINES DE COTON

Arrivages	EXPORTATIONS				STOCK			
	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL
Cette semaine	50,430	64,810	1	64,811	782,300	1,737	2,617	784,654
Même semaine 1906	69,151	18,85	3,096	21,961	1,041,592	233	1,536	1,043,361
Depuis 1er Sept. 1906	3,634,263	25,992	418,481	2,954,463	14,270	39,16	50,130	54,466
Même époque 1906	3,306,104	2,341,915	171,49	2,212,512	15,430	50,130	—	15,930

Y compris stock au 1er Septembre 1906 Ardebe 14,500  
au 1er Septembre 1905 Ardebe 248,400

Pour les Fèves, Orges, Blé, Lentilles, Maïs et Oignons, la consommation locale n'est connue respectivement que les 21 Mars et 26 Novembre

### FÈVES

Arrivages	EXPORTATIONS				STOCK			
	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL
Cette semaine	351	—	—	351	82,638	—	—	82,638
Même semaine 1906	74	—	—	74	50,56	—	—	50,56
A partir du 1er Sept. 1906	6,431	330	534	6,095	10,155	—	—	10,155
Même époque 1906	121,549	19	64,350	59,797	94,147	—	—	94,147

Stock au 1er Avril 1906 Ardebe 24,500  
Stock au 1er Avril 1905 Ardebe 48,000

### BLE

Arrivages	EXPORTATIONS				STOCK			
	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL
Cette semaine	141	291	—	432	10	98	2,490	2,600
Même semaine 1906	—	63	—	63	—	11,719	13,382	25,101
A partir du 1er Sept. 1906	6,260	40,419	267	47,946	132	23,180	21,352	44,664
Même époque 1906	4,816	47,624	2	52,442	244	18,104	18,981	39,331

Stocks au 1er Avril 1906 Ardebe —  
Stocks au 1er Avril 1905 Ardebe —

### LENTILLES

Arrivages	EXPORTATIONS				STOCK			
	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL
Cette semaine	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Même semaine 1906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
A partir du 1er Sept. 1906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Même époque 1906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

### MAIS

Arrivages	EXPORTATIONS				STOCK			
	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL
Cette semaine	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Même semaine 1906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
A partir du 1er Sept. 1906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Même époque 1906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

### OIGNONS

Arrivages	EXPORTATIONS				STOCK			
	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL	Anglais	Continent	Etats-Unis	TOTAL
Cette semaine	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Même semaine 1906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
A partir du 1er Sept. 1906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Même époque 1906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

### PRIX DES CONTRATS

COTON	GRAINES ET CEREALES			
	Graines de Coton	Graines de Coton	Graines de Coton	Graines de Coton
Fully Good Fair	Tal. 18 5/8	Tal. 18 1/2	Tal. 18 1/2	Tal. 18 1/2
Good Fair	" 19 7/8	" 19 1/8	" 19 1/8	" 19 1/8
Fully Good Fair	" 21 1/4	" 20 3/4	" 20 3/4	" 20 3/4
Good	" 22 1/2	" 21 1/4	" 21 1/4	" 21 1/4
Extra	" 23 7/8	" 22 1/2	" 22 1/2	" 22 1/2

## Weekly Postal Table.

Alexandria Office.

Table showing the days of despatch and arrival of the principal Foreign Mails.

From Monday, 18th, to Sunday, 24th March, 1907.

(Both dates inclusive).

COUNTRIES.	MAIL PACKETS.	ROUTES.	DESPATCHES.				Arrival
			DAYS.	LASTEST HOUR FOR POSTING.	INDIAN-PAKISTAN	EUROPE	DAYS.
EUROPE, AMERICA AND WEST COAST OF AFRICA.	British	Port Said	Sun. 17	3.10 p.m.	Sun. 17	Sat. 16	Wednes.
	German	Brindisi	Wedn.	2 p.m.	noon	5 p.m.	Monday
	Italian	Messina	Thurs.	2 p.m.	noon	Wednes.	Sunday
	French	Marseilles	Friday	3 p.m.	noon	Thurs.	Tuesday
GREECE	Austrian	Brindisi	Satur.	3 p.m.	noon	Friday	Monday
	Austrian	Brindisi	—	—	—	—	Wednes.
	British	Port Said & Brindisi	Sun. 17	3.10 p.m.	Sun. 17	—	—
	Khedivial	Piræus	Wedn.	3 p.m.	noon	Tuesday	Satur.
TURKEY, GREECE AND SOUTHERN RUSSIA.	Russian	Piræus Constantinople	Tuesday	2 p.m.	noon	—	Friday
	Russian	Constantinople	Friday	3 p.m.	noon	—	Monday
	Khedivial	—	Sunday	3.30 a.m.	Satur.	Satur.	Wednes.
	Russian	—	Friday	3.30 a.m.	Satur.	Satur.	Friday
SYRIA	French	Port Said	Thurs.	3.10 p.m.	noon	—	Thurs.
	Austrian	—	Tuesday	3.30 a.m.	Monday	—	Monday
	Italian	Jaffa	Wednes.	9 a.m.	Tuesday	—	—
	British	Port Said & Brindisi	Sun. 17	3.10 p.m.	Sun. 17	Satur. 16	Wednes.
CYPRUS	British	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Italian	Messina	Thurs.	2 p.m.	noon	Wednes.	Sunday
	Austrian	Brindisi	Satur.	3 p.m.	noon	Friday	Monday
	Khedivial	Suez	—	—	—	—	Thurs.
TOR AND JEDDAH	Khedivial	Suez	Monday	8.30 a.m.	Sun. 17	Sun. 17	—
	Khedivial	Suez	Wednes.	8.30 a.m.	Tuesday	Tuesday	Sunday
	British	—	—	—	—	—	Monday
	Italian	—	—	—	—	—	—
MARSOWA AND ASSAB	Khedivial	Suez	Wednes.	8.30 a.m.	Tuesday	Tuesday	—
	British	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Italian	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Khedivial	Suez	Wednes.	8.30 a.m.	Tuesday	Tuesday	—
ADEN AND INDIA.	British	—	—	—	—	—	—
	British	—	—	—	—	—	—
	British	—	—	—	—	—	—
	British	—	—	—	—	—	—
CEYLON AND AUSTRALIA	French	—	—	—	—	—	—
	German	—	—	—	—	—	—
	British	—	—	—	—	—	—
	British	—	—	—	—	—	—
CEYLON, CHINA, JAPAN AND STRAITS SETTLEMENTS.	German	—	—	—	—	—	—
	German	—	—	—	—	—	—
	German	—	—	—	—	—	—
	German	—	—	—	—	—	—
ADEN & EAST COAST OF AFRICA.	French	—	—	—	—	—	—
	French	—	—	—	—	—	—
	French	—	—	—	—	—	—
	French	—	—	—	—	—	—
DJIBOUTI AND AFRICA.	Dutch	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Dutch	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Dutch	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Dutch	—	—	—	—	—	—

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